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## NEGRO LEAPS TO DEATH AMUSING CARNIVAL CROWD.

In a spectacular "high dive" from the top of a 75-foot ladder over the Terrill, a negro, was dashed to death in Hickman Thursday night about 10:20 o'clock. In the glare of a big bonfire, the unfortunate man made the fatal leap while hundreds of people gazed at his perilous descent into a roped net-work, some twelve feet square, which in some manner failed to perform its usual function—that of acting as a cushion for his body. No one ascertained whether the guy snapped or the dislodging of the 4x4 supports under them caused the accident. But, before the eyes of the terrified throng, Terrill received his death wound, a fractured skull. Evidently his head hit the ground. The negro was unconscious when picked up. Blood was spurting from his right ear and nose. A post-mortem examination made by physicians on the grounds proved that his injuries were fatal. Without regaining consciousness, he died at 3:30 Friday morning.

Terrill was about 30 years old, and had been with Hopkins Great shows for the past three years. He and his wife managed the "Plantation" show. His home was at Springfield, Ill., to which place his body was shipped. He has two children. For his "dives," one each night, he understood he received the sum of \$100.

Even though a negro—and a stranger at that—a wave of pity swept over his audience when it was learned that the act had cost him his life. It is a shame that morbid curiosity should seek such sacrifices for a moment's entertainment.

This carnival seemed to have been stalked by ill luck during the past ten days. While enroute to Hickman from Metropolis, Ill., a negro, member of the show, fell from the boat and drowned. On the same Friday Terrill died, one of the large tents caught fire, burning one end of it out. The ill-fated diving ladder fell the same day and was smashed to splinters. One section hit the pony tent but a buggy top caught the blow.

## HICKMAN STEAM LAUNDRY UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.

R. V. Putman, late of Paducah, now has charge of the Hickman Steam Laundry. The owners, Dr. J. M. Hubbard and A. E. Kennedy have executed a twelve months lease, which became effective last Monday.

The new manager, we understand, is a thoroughly practical laundryman of many years experience. There are few, if any, better equipped laundries in this section—all machinery being of the very latest improved type—and Mr. Putman should experience no trouble in increasing the business. Mr. Kennedy, who has looked after the management of this concern, informs us that he has not the time to give the business the needed attention; hence the change in management.

R. M. Isler and wife are visiting their son, Bob Isler, and wife, of Memphis. Harvey Effinger is filling his place in the office while away.

N. R. Holcombe left Monday for Memphis where he will visit his brother, W. E. Holcombe, and wife, and then to Greenville.

Harry Threlkeld, wife and children spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Honeycutt, of Woodland.

B. G. Hale, Jr., wife and children returned home Saturday after a visit to her aunt, Miss Mahel Truby, of Nashville.

Mrs. L. C. Moss and daughter returned home Saturday after a visit to her parents at Clinton.

Comfort and economy makes happy homes. You get both by using Cole's Hot Blast Heaters.

John Hagan spent a few days here the first of the week.

Miss Jane Binford has been on the sick list.



Hart Schaffner & Marx  
Good Clothes Makers  
Chicago New York

## The Style Book

YOU may have seen the new Style Book; it's worth seeing; if you haven't received a copy, let us know, and we'll see that you get one.

Men who care about looks—young men especially—want to know about correct style; this book tells them.

Here are some of the things it shows:

Fifteen attractive style illustrations.  
What to wear, and when.  
How much you ought to pay.  
How ready clothes save your money.  
How you can be fitted.

And whenever you're ready to look we're ready to show you the clothes. Special values at \$25; and from \$18 to \$50.

## Smith & Amberg

This store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

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## County School Notes

By Miss Virginia Luten  
County Supt.

All schools are taking an active interest in the big school fair to be held at Hickman, October 31. The prize list for the second grade is the same as that of the first, except that the second grade girls will make kitchen aprons instead of cup towels. The athletic contest for the high schools includes high jump, broad jump, 75 yard dash, and half hammer. Only high school pupils can take part in this contest unless the principal of the high school directs otherwise. All handwork exhibited must be done by the pupils without assistance, but general directions will be given by the teacher and supervisor.

Prof. F. C. Button, of Frankfort, Rural School Supervisor, honored our county with a visit Wednesday.

Our meeting of the County Teachers Association has been held at New Hope. The other three meetings will be held on the following dates: Lodgton Oct. 17, Cayce Nov. 7, Hickman Nov. 21. Teachers are expected to attend the meeting of the association in the division in which they teach, but if more convenient they may attend any other meeting. Only morning sessions will be held. Program will be announced later.

The Island school taught by Miss Greta Benthall has just purchased a new book case and is working to have a nice library soon.

The division boards have elected the same trustees as chairmen, hence the County Board of Education remains the same as last year. The following are members: C. A. Barber, Geo. M. Rop-



er, S. N. Sweeney and J. D. Morrow.

The new reading chart for the first grade have been received and are being delivered to the schools as rapidly as possible.

The sun never sets on England's possessions. Her navy controls the seas. Over 200 freighters have been captured by England's navy already.

Walter R. Rankin, for 22 years a citizen of Fulton, died in that city Thursday afternoon. He was a piling contractor. A wife and son survive him.

S. L. Dodds and W. A. Johnston went to Memphis Tuesday to attend the fair.

J. H. Huggins and family have moved from Mayfield to Hickman.

N. J. Corum, of Greenfield, Tenn., was here first of the week.

## ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m.

Evening prayer and sermon 7 p. m.

The day of Intercession for Peace designated by the President will be observed at St. Paul's by special services of intercession. The public is invited to attend.

Morning sermon subject, "Walking Worthy of our Vocation."

Evening sermon subject, "Church Worship."

Note the change in the hour of the evening service.

Rev. W. F. Remmenberg, Pastor.

Mrs. J. M. Reid returned Friday after a weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Bettie Gardner, and friends at Fulton.

## JAIL DELIVERY AT TIPTONVILLE THURSDAY.

Eight prisoners confined in the county jail at Tiptonville made their escape Thursday. The delivery was accomplished when, at 6 o'clock, J. T. Larkins (Uncle Bud), who is jailer, went to the jail to lock the prisoners in their respective cells. Several of the prisoners were hid, and when the jailer appeared at the cell door they sprang upon him, choking and otherwise bruising him up. When in practically an unconscious state the prisoners dragged their victim into one of the cells and tied him fast with some cord that they had prepared from a blanket. They secured the front door key and easily made their way to the outside and fled.

The act was committed at dusk, when most of the inhabitants of Tiptonville were at their supper and few saw the prisoners fleeing. It is thought that the criminals made their way either to Missouri or Kentucky. The jailer is an ex-confederate soldier and is 76 years of age, and is therefore unable to cope with such an attack. "Uncle Bud" Larkins is also the present register of Lake county and was a few years ago jailer, when another similar get-away was accomplished.

Mrs. Charles Taylor and children returned the latter part of last week from Bowling Green where she accompanied three of her children to take the Pasteur treatment. They were bitten by a mad dog three weeks ago. She was also accompanied home by her brother, Rome Higgins, who also took the treatment.

Jack McDaniel left Friday night for Louisville for a few days visit before returning to Jersey City, where he has charge of the Mengel Box Company's office at that place.

Miss Clara Julian has returned to Union City after a visit to Mrs. Phillips, in West Hickman.

L. H. Coombes went to Cairo the latter part of last week on business.

Gus Prather, of Woodland Mills, was here Friday.

## HERTWECK WANTS PRICES ON HUNDRED BALES.

The following letter from Ed Hertweck, of Fresno, Calif., former Hickmanite, to the Young Men's Business League, is self-explanatory.

"Gentlemen: Could you give me some information about the cotton situation in your county. Prices, insurance, rate, taxes, storage and shrinkage. Also about what kind of public warehouses, brick, concrete or wood buildings. How does your prices compare with Galveston, Memphis and New Orleans when you want to sell? Could I buy direct from the grower, leaving the commission men out entirely. Prices on 100 bale lots. Have you a representative of the Firemen's Fund Insurance Company in your city? I want the price only on first class cotton, put up in A1 condition. Trusting you will favor me with an answer soon and thanking you in return."

He was promptly furnished the desired information.

## OUTRAGEOUS PROFITS.

We notice in the market reports from the various large cities, that the prices of many articles, that went so high at the breaking out of the European war, are declining.

No greater outrage was ever perpetrated upon the American consumer, than has been by the speculators of this country, on the pretense that the European war was the cause of it.

If it had not been for the sensational articles published in the large papers, our country here would never have known that there was a war going on. It is perfectly preposterous that our people should suffer because of a spirit to reap an unnatural profit on our home products.

There is no necessity that we should feel any of the evil effects of the European war.

LOST: Brown card case, with writing cards.—Wilfred Pearson, writing card: Return to Courier office.

Nolan Poole is visiting home-folks at Milburn, Ky.



## TODAY

you can be fitted in  
the new Fall styles—

English lasts—"The Glide", "Duke" and "Piccadilly"—in the new shade of Nut Brown, Mahogany Russia Calf, or Black Velvet Calf—Lace Style, with small blind eyelets to the top. Also a new French Blucherette. Low racy heels.

All the latest ideas from Paris and London, incorporated in these swagger Florsheim models.

Take a  
Peek  
At Our  
Windows

Styles at



Men Who  
Know How  
Will  
Fit You

Styles at

\$5.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00  
Other Shoes at \$2.50 to \$3.50

..SMITH & AMBERG..





**The New Fads For Fall**  
**SWANN HATS**  
Now Ready For You.

**Millet & Alexander**  
HICKMAN, KY.

**GUARANTEED**  
**CHILL FEVER TONIC**  
RAGING FEVER & SHAKING CHILLS CURED.  
First dose effective. Breaks up chills, banishes fever and makes you feel excellent. It acts quickly and leaves no bad effects. Will not harm the most delicate stomach. The most successful remedy for colds, malaria or ague. Guaranteed to cure.  
**MORRIS MORTON DRUG CO., FT. SMITH, ARK.**  
Manufacturing Chemists

For Sale by All Druggists

#### SUSTAINS BROKEN LIMB. RESULT OF RUNAWAY.

A serious accident occurred Friday afternoon near Liberty church, a few miles west of Fulton. Protracted meeting has been in progress there the past week. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Underwood and daughter, Miss Kate, had started home in a buggy and met an automobile in which was seated Mr. John Brooks and family, of Fulton, J. V. Brooks running the machine. The auto had just met one buggy when Mr. Underwood's came from over the hill, and it was seen that the horse was frightened and had started to run; the machine turned into the bank and was slightly damaged. The buggy struck a bank and Mr. Underwood was thrown out and bruised. The horse kept down the road and finally struck a telephone pole, throwing Miss Kate Underwood out and breaking her leg below the knee. She also received a gash on the forehead. Mrs. Underwood was not hurt beyond a shake-up and jar. The buggy was partially demolished.

The wounded were taken home in the auto and Drs. J. M. Alexander, of Fulton, and Phelps, of Jordan, summoned. They reset the broken limb of Miss Underwood. She was suffering this morning from the wounds, but is not regarded in a dangerous condition.—Fulton Leader.

#### An Active Liver Means Health

If you want good health, a clear complexion and freedom from Dizziness, Constipation, Biliousness, Headaches and Indigestion, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They dive out fermenting and undigested foods, clear the blood and cure Constipation. Only 25c. at your druggist.

Marriage licenses issued in Obion county last week: Richard Terrill and Florence Hendries, Layall Kenney and Hettie Stroud, William R. King and Lettie May Byars, J. B. Alexander and Alice Reed, O. A. McGaw and Mrs. Hat tie Milam, J. M. Fisher and Margaret L. Poyner, Wess Dowdy and Bessie Wicks, John T. Tams and Agnes Z. Forest, C. R. McKernan and Vicie Priece, Bedford Hayes and Mai Brewett.

J. B. McGehee and B. Johnson, old Fulton county boys but now of Los Angeles, Calif., were visitors at this office Saturday.

Ever try "Crisco"? Takes the place of butter in cake baking and the like.—Bettsworth & Ezell.

If you cannot boost—keep quite, or get into a town in which you can make yourself fit.

#### Scrubs Fatten Quickly

You want your pigs to eat as much as possible when you fatten them. Give them a great variety of feed, keep the appetite keen and the digestion in good order, and you will obtain the desired result; especially if you mix with the grain ration a dose of

**Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE**

Whets the appetite—Helps digestion.

I put some scrubby-looking hogs in the pen to fatten and gave them Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE in their feed. I soon had fine, healthy-looking hogs, which netted me over 500 pounds.

H. Kinser, Danville, W. Va.

25c, 50c and \$1. per can. At your dealer's.

#### CLINTON COLLEGE BELL NO LONGER RINGS.

For the first September in nearly forty years the big bell at Clinton College is silent. Three generations of young men and women have responded to its vibrant tones; have entered the school for one term, two terms or longer—then left to lose themselves in life-work interests. In the years that are gone when its deep voice called the pupils came from everywhere, and merry voices and happy faces made the beautiful campus a scene Edenic in its charm. If great lives are lived and end when their particular work is finished, why should not great institutions be like that? Clinton college has been more to Clinton than any other school can ever be. Established, as it was, at a time when throughout this part of the state there was a crying need for a school it became from its very inception a recognized power for good. Now when the state's laws make one high school (at least) in every county imperative; when graded schools are better than they ever were before; when consolidation and transportation have become important factors in the educational world, and all free to the youth of the land, small colleges everywhere are being crowded out. While we feel sad because Clinton college will not open its doors this year, we feel it has accomplished its mission. Miss Hicks and Clinton college will be spoken of in loving terms through the years that are coming and their influence will last long after the men and women who now love their alma mater have joined the great unnumbered.—Clinton Gazette.

#### SORGHUM MOLASSES

I advise you to sell your Sorghum Molasses early. I believe you will get more now than you will later. I will buy your Sorghum and pay you the highest market price at time you offer it to me for sale.

R. W. McKINNEY,  
Second and Washington St.,  
Paducah, Ky.

#### Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

The continual robbing of Mayfield residences has proven a puzzling proposition to the officers there. For the past three weeks from one to eight houses have been robbed each night. In almost every instance a watch and money have been stolen. There has never been the slightest clew.

The largest pecan and hickory nut crop in many years will be gathered in this section this fall. The pecan trees bore more heavily this year than for the past twenty years. In the bottoms vast native pecan groves are located and finer nuts are not to be found.

Call for Reeves' Meal. It is the best.

#### BUSINESS LEAGUE HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING.

The Business League met at the Courier office Friday night and the following business was transacted:

Owing to a clearing up of the local cotton situation, it was decided to defer signing a lease for the N. C. & St. L. Ry. warehouse, which the railroad offered to the League to be used as a cotton warehouse. At present prices, most farmers prefer selling, hence a warehouse for distress cotton is not needed now.

J. C. Sexton and Dee Henry were instructed to see and make a campaign for funds as prizes to be given next March for the best worked roads west of the M. & O. railroad. The League also voted to set aside \$100 from its funds to be used for this purpose in case there happens to be a deficit.

H. L. Amberg and D. P. Leibavitz appointed as committee to secure permanent quarters for the league.

The matter of advancing the city from 5th to 4th class was taken up. Judge W. B. Amberg, T. R. Powell and W. C. Reed were appointed to appear before the city council and solicit their cooperation in bringing about this change. A city must have not less than 3000 people in order to go into the 4th class and it may be necessary to take special census. Cities of the 4th class enjoy numerous benefits which are denied those of the 5th; hence, the move for a change.

The truck-growing movement was again discussed, and the League voted to get out some advertising matter to create further interest in this matter. All farmers who might be interested in truck, fruit or berry growing, whether on a large or small scale, are invited to call on A. E. Kennedy, for full particulars.

W. P. Skinner, manager of the Turk-Guedry Wholesale Grocery Co., was enrolled as a member of the League.

#### Try This for your Cough.

Thousands of people keep coughing because unable to get the right remedy. Coughs are caused by Inflammation of the Throat and Bronchial Tubes. What you need is to soothe this inflammation. Take Dr. King's New Discovery, it penetrates the delicate mucous lining, raises the Phlegm and quickly relieves the congested membranes. Get a 50c bottle from your druggist. "Dr. King's New Discovery" quickly and completely stopped my cough," writes J. R. Watts, Floydale, Texas. Money back if not satisfied, but it nearly always helps.

Reduction of salaries of government officials, including Senators, Representatives, army and naval officers, and the President himself, has been proposed in a resolution by Senator Sheppard as a means of meeting the "enormous strain put upon the Federal treasury by the war in Europe." The reduction would vary from 2 per cent on salaries of \$1,200 to 12 per cent on salaries over \$6,000, and would be effective for one year from November, 1914. There is not much danger of this resolution being adopted, of course.

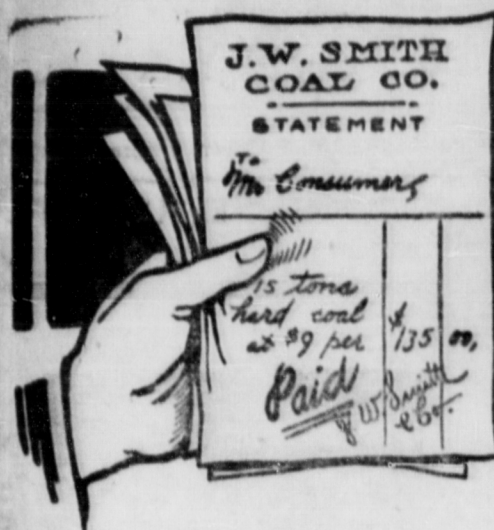
**GOOD FARM** for sale. Consists of 102 acres, located near Jordan, Ky., all in cultivation, small orchard, two houses, tobacco barn, stable, good fences, 40 acres in clover, 2 good cisterns, etc. Can be bought for one-third cash, balance to suit. A bargain. If interested, get particulars at this office.

The old-fashioned little girl whose birthday present used to be a china cup, bearing the inscription "For a Good Girl," now has a little girl who wants a manure set, a real willow plume and a vanity bag every time she has a birthday.

The old Governor's mansion at Frankfort, which has housed the State's Chief Executives since 1798, has been sold under the hammer. It is one of the most historic places in the state and it is sincerely to be hoped it will be preserved.

During the Honeymoon the Bride has an awful time trying to hide her switches and her puffs and her pads where he won't see them. But after the honeymoon he has to kick them out of the way.

Mrs. F. E. Case left Monday for St. Louis to spend two or three weeks with her daughter.



**J. W. SMITH COAL CO.**  
**STATEMENT**  
To the Consumer  
15 tons  
hard coal  
at \$9 per  
Paid  
\$135.00  
J. W. Smith  
Oct. 1, 1914

## GONE UP IN SMOKE

One-half of your coal—and it did you no good. Hard luck that. But there is a way to fix it. Here's how:

That stove of yours has seen its best days. You need a new one. You know it—but you have let things drift along.

Meanwhile, you have been losing HALF of every hod of coal you have put in it. Of course, you knew it, but you did not think of it that way. You know that half of every lump is gas. Fail to burn that gas and it is like throwing into the ditch half of every dollar you spend in coal.

Rather extravagant? Yes?

The ordinary stove made of a lot of separate castings leaks air. They leak air at the wrong place. Places you can not control.

**RESULT**—the best part of your coal—the 14,000 cubic feet of common illuminating gas that is in the average ton of \$3.00 soft coal—goes up the flue unburned.

You have lost it. It has gone up in smoke.

Save that gas—mix it properly with air and you have the hottest kind of a blue flame. But there is only one way to do this—

Buy the only heater that is made tight—holds tight—stays tight.



## Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

It leaks no air.

This is the heater that mixes the gas and air and gives you all the heat in the coal.

This is the heater that burns any kind of coal and makes a ton of \$3.00 soft coal do the work of \$8.00 hard coal in a high priced base burner.

This is the heater that is a joy and comfort to the housewife. It makes no dirt or smoke in the house.

This is the heater that saves labor—fix it in the morning and at night and FORGET IT THE REST OF THE TIME.

This is the heater that gives a steady, constant heat from soft coal or lignite.

This is the heater that will hold its fire untouched for a day and a half.

This is the heater we sell you under a guarantee that is as "good as old wheat at the mill." Burns soft coal, lignite, slack, hard coal or wood.

It is just the kind of a heater you want. Come in and see it.

See the name "Cole's" on the feed door of each stove.  
None genuine without it

**Hickman Hardware Co.**

Incorporated



#### FOUR BARGES SINK.

The Sprague, operated by the River Combine, and the biggest towboat on the Mississippi, had the misfortune to lose two common barges and two sea barges of coal, just north of the landing at Tiptonville Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The big vessel had a long string of barges of coal and was on its way from Cairo to New Orleans. The barges suddenly struck against a sand bar with such force that they broke loose from their couplings and as the bar was slanting the lower sides of the barges dipped water and sank. As the water poured into them they gradually slid off the slanting bar and sank into deep water, none of them being visible. The Government boat, Chisen, which was not far away, went to the rescue of the Sprague and helped it save many other barges from sinking. The four barges contained 3,000 tons of coal and it is not thought that they can be recovered.—Lake County News.

#### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Dr. Nathaniel Greene Morris, born in Obion county, Tennessee, a few miles southwest of Fulton, sixty-three years ago on last Feb. 10, died Sept. 25, 1914. He graduated from the University of Tennessee medical school at Nashville and has been for years one of the most successful physicians in West Kentucky. Heart failure caused his death.

It is rumored here that the temperance people of Paducah are organizing a stock company for the establishment and maintenance of a daily and weekly newspaper.

"The Trey of Hearts."

#### LAST OF HER RACE.

With the death of the passenger pigeon last week at the Cincinnati Zoological Garden the species became extinct. For six years it has been known that this lone pigeon, a female, thirty years old, was the last one of her race. Many of our older readers will recall the time when these birds were plentiful in Fulton county. In order to save the species, a thousand dollars was offered for a male passenger pigeon but none could be found. Now that she is gone another black chapter in the natural history of this country closes. Eleven species of North American wild birds have been wiped out of existence by man. Twenty three other species are rapidly diminishing and some are approaching the vanishing point. Bird conservation may prevent the extermination of other species, saving to the world these remnants that would otherwise be swept away as has the wild or passenger pigeon.

#### DIST. INSPECTOR HERE.

A District Inspector from the Bureau of Biological Survey, Washington, D. C., has been in Hickman recently looking into game conditions generally and violations of the Federal migratory bird law in particular. Under this law it is unlawful to shoot ducks or geese after January 16 and before October 1, under penalty of \$100 fine and ninety days in jail. After January 1, 1915, it will be against the law to shoot waterfowl on the Mississippi river. It is also unlawful to kill any migratory game bird between sunset and sunrise. The sportsmen of this locality are heartily in favor of this law, the only opposition being from the market hunter. It is needless to say that the law will be rigidly enforced, and all hunters should govern themselves accordingly.

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## Kyanize

your old furniture

Make it look spick and span. You can do it yourself with this wonderful product, which gives floors, woodwork and furniture a beautiful, sanitary lasting finish.



We will give you **FREE** for a trial, a regular 15c can of Kyanize, if you buy one of these handy little 10c Chinese bristle brushes to apply it with. Clear and seven popular colors. They all dry quick and hard and beautiful.

We will refund the 10 cents you pay for the brush if you are not delighted with the Kyanize

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(When the attention of The Hickman Courier is called to any misstatement of facts, or to any error concerning any man or thing, correction will cheerfully be made.)

## SPECIAL SERVICE OF INTERCESSION AT CRYSTAL.

The President's proclamation of Sunday, October fourth, as a day of prayer and intercession for peace does credit to him and the American people. It breathes the true Christian spirit and it carefully abstains from suggestion of a breach of neutrality. And of this we must all take the greatest care. The prayers that we offer must not be for the one party against the other. The President is very happy in indicating their scope. "That over-riding the counsel of men, setting straight the things they cannot govern or alter, taking pity on the nations now in the throes of conflict, in His mercy and goodness showing a way where men can see none (Almighty God will) vouchsafe His children healing peace again, and restore once more that concord among men and nations without which there can be neither happiness nor true friendship, nor any wholesome fruit of toil or thought in the world; praying also to this end that He forgive us our sins, our ignorance of His holy will, our wilfulness and many errors, and lead us in the paths of obedience to place of vision and to thoughts and counsels that purge and make wise."

We venture to say that no American state paper was ever more happily conceived and expressed than this, and that no step which President Wilson could take in this world crisis would be more appropriate than this.

We hope that the American people will very generally participate in this act of service to which the President invites them. Is it not unprecedented—we ask rather than make the assertion—for a neutral and wholly uninvolved nation to take so seriously to heart a war among other nations, as thus formally to be bidden to pray by its chief executive? If so, President Wilson has set a most salutary precedent. Thoroughly ought Americans to realize that we have our part to perform in this world tragedy, and that it behooves us to play that part well.

Deeply sensible of our great responsibility and realizing the tremendous power of corporate, heartfelt prayer to Almighty God, we the ministers of the Gospel in Hickman, bid the people of this city and vicinity to unite with us in this day of prayer and intercession for peace and to this end a special united service of prayer will be held at the Crystal Theatre on Sunday afternoon, October 4, at 3 o'clock.

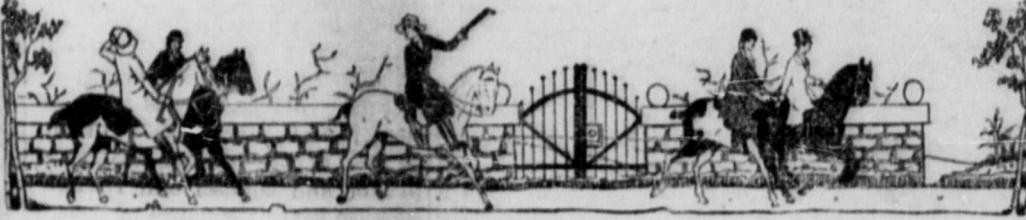
W. F. Renneberg,  
Rector St. Paul's church.  
B. W. Hampton,  
Pastor of Christian church.  
R. M. Walker,  
Pastor First M. E. church.  
W. C. Riggs,  
Pastor W. H. M. E. church.  
W. L. King,  
Pastor W. H. Bapt. church.

## Program

Song, America.  
Prayer.  
Hymn, Nearer My God to Thee.  
Scripture Reading.  
Hymn, Prince of Peace.  
Address, Judge Stahr.  
Song, Star Spangled Banner.  
Address, Prof. B. F. Gabby.  
Address, Dr. H. E. Prather.  
Prayer and benediction.  
Hymn, God be with you til we Meet Again.

## Fall Opening

Every Day at This Store



THE Fall and Winter seasons are characterized by a complete evolution in fashions, and the trend they have taken is strikingly evident in our present displays.

There is an undeniable charm about these Fall and Winter fashions—they are so attractive and yet so practical as to instantly win admiration. They embody many clever, although apparently minor features that make infinitely more beautiful than any brought out in years.

Come to this exposition of Fall and Winter styles and inspect each and every model—we want you to feel at home in this store. Remember, the more times you are here the more extensive will be your knowledge of what to wear. Our prices are remarkably fair.

Our Ready-to-Wear department has recently been enlarged and it now accommodates the largest stock ever shown in Hickman

## FALL NECKWEAR STYLES

The variety of style elements in gowns and blouses permits an unusually large number of neckwear fashions the best of which are represented in our vestees are featured in numerous forms. The daintiest sorts are here at modest prices.

## The New Fall Suits

SHOW MANY ORIGINAL STYLES

The real beauty of these suits lies in their originality, and although we can describe the main points you must see them to appreciate their superiority. The coats include semi-fitted and straight line effects and the three quarter and longer lengths are the only considered correct. Tieskirts include the long tunic forms and the straight styles impleated and circular models. Deep yokes are prominent. On display will be tailored, semi-dressy suits.

\$12.50, 15.00, 18.50 to 35.00

## Ladies and Childrens Coats

An unusually satisfying assortment of coats has been prepared, from which no woman should have difficulty in finding one exactly suited to her needs. The coats this season are longer than before, most in seven eighths and full length and are either loose or semi-fitted. All the best fabrics included and our prices are unusually fair, ranging from \$5.00 to \$30.00. Our line of children coats is larger and stronger than we've ever show before. Every popular style and material shown and above all the prices are very moderate.

\$2.50 to \$12.00

ENTRANCING STYLES  
IN FALL WAISTS

The models include tailored, lingerie and silk waists showing many novelty basque form with moyen age styles as a feature. High collars, tight sleeves and narrow shoulders are features. The strictly tailored and semi-tailored models fit smoothly over the bust. Satin, messaline, soft finished taffeta, silk poplin, silk bedford cord, Georgette crepe and crepe de chine are the materials most in favor. The black and white color combinations will be much worn. Excellent values here at

\$1.25, 1.50, 2.00 to 6.50

## The New Millinery

Is Supremely Beautiful in Shape and Trimming

The millinery section is always of fascinating interest on opening days and it is more so this season than ever on account of the supreme beauty of the styles and because we have the largest stock we have ever assembled. Both small and medium large hats will be worn with narrow and wide brimmed sailors predominating. Turbans and cap effects are also very popular. The favored material is black velvet although all dark, rich colors will be most prominent with emphasis on navy and eorbeau blues. Trimings consist of ropes of dull beads, birds posed at original angles both on the crown and turn of the brim. Birds will be used as well as novelty quills and very long slim wings. Huge pansies and poppies are striking novelties, and ribbons and furs will be popular. Prices are very reasonable. We've showing exceptionally strong lines of moderate priced hats for women at

\$2.50 to \$5.00

and for children at

\$1.25 to \$3.00

THE NEW FALL DRESSES  
ARE BEAUTIFUL

Fall dress fashions whether street, afternoon or evening models, differ radically from those of last season. Many bodices are of semi-fitted line and the skirts are considerably fuller. The skirts in all its forms has a smooth fitting hipline with a gradual introduction of fullness below which may take the form of a tunic or may be in the skirt itself. The color tendency is very largely toward soft dark tones. You'll like our prices which range from

\$6.50 to \$25.00

## Fall Footwear Fashions

In womens shoes shiny leather will rule favorite with either cloth or leather tops. The effects are charming. Both short and long vamp styles are good although the former is likely to be most favored. Heels are high, on the Cuban Louis type or slight variations of it. Button models are by far the most stylish although lace patterns appear properly in heavy types of walking or sporting shoes and staple style styles for elderly women. The children's shoes as usual are made along the most comfortable lines, there being little change in styles. You'll find every correct last and leather here.

Womens Shoes \$2.00 to \$4.00

Childrens Shoes \$1.25 to \$3.00

## Glove Fashions

As most of the sleeves will be full length, short gloves will be much in demand although eighth, twelve and sixteen button lengths will be worn throughout the fall season. Mannish gloves are smart and pique, cape mocha gloves will be widely popular. Embroidered gloves will be generally worn by the best dressed people. White will be the dominating color although dark colors will be close seconds. The matting of dress and suit colors in gloves will not be encouraged, the contrasting effects being best. The most wanted and reliable gloves are all here in exceptionally pleasing assortments both as to variety and price.

Kid gloves at \$1.25 to \$4.50  
Fabric gloves 50c to \$2.00

## Lustrous Silks

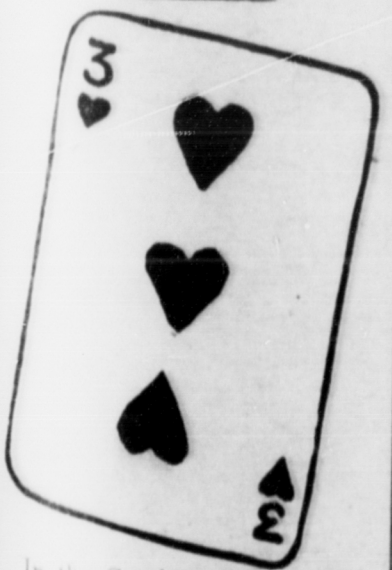
By far the most favored silks for fall and winter are those of high luster and our splendid stock is rich in them. Among the most important are charmeuse, messaline, mohaire, poplin, crepe de chine and soft finished taffeta. Ribbed weaves and printed silks will also be very generally used. All are here at prices that please the most economical, ranging from 50c yd to \$2.00

## Fall and Winter Dress Goods

The new fashions in garments will require the use of heavier fabrics than heretofore, broadcloth, gabardine, prunella and serge being most prominent. Cheviots will be in general use and among the novelty effects, stripes, checks, small plaids and scotch mixtures predominate. In cotton dress goods, crepes voiles, batistes and white ratine are very fashionable.

The wool goods are priced at 50c to \$2  
The cotton goods at 15c, 60c to \$2.

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The "Live Store" where quality reigns higher than price.

### PROCLAMATION OF THE PRESIDENT.

Whereas, great nations of the world have taken up arms against one another and war draw millions of men into battle whom the counsel of statesmen have not been able to save from the terrible sacrifice;

And Whereas, In this, as in all things, it is our privilege and duty to seek counsel and succor of Almighty God, humbling ourselves before Him, confessing our weakness and our lack of any wisdom equal to these things;

And Whereas, It is the especial wish and longing of the people of the United States, in prayer and counsel and friendliness, to serve the cause of peace;

Therefore, I, WOODROW WILSON, States of America, do designate Sunday, the fourth day of October next, a day of prayer and supplication, and do request all God-fearing persons to repair on that day to their places of worship there to unite their petitions to Almighty God, that overruling the counsel of men, setting straight the things they cannot govern or alter, taking pity on the nations now in the throes of conflict, in His mercy and goodness showing a way where men can see none, He vouchsafe His children healing peace again and restore once more that concord among men and nations without which there can be neither happiness nor true friendship nor any wholesome fruit of toil or thought in the world; praying also to this end and that He forgive us our sins, our ignorance of His Holy willfulness and many errors, and lead us in the paths of obedience to places of vision and to thoughts and counsels that purge and make wise.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and fourteen, and of the independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and thirty-ninth.

WOODROW WILSON.

By the President: William Jennings Bryan, Secretary of State.

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To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Stops cough and headache, and works off cold. 25c.

5 or 6 doses 666 will break any case of Fever or Chills. Price 25 cents. 10-1.

Walter Bondurant and family, of Cayce, spent Sunday with A. A. Cary and wife.

### BEST GROCERIES

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## Styles That Are Smart



Our new styles in the IMPERIAL for Fall and Winter are ready for your inspection; crisp, dainty and alluring.

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## SHOES FOR SCHOOL

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There Needs Are a Large Part of Our Business.

# Millet & Alexander

Where They Fit You Right

### RUSH CREEK NEWS.

Jim McGehee was in Hickman Saturday. — Miss Estelle Johnston, of near Hickman who has been visiting her uncle, Joe Johnston, returned home Saturday. — Mrs. Joe Nailling and daughter, Miss Mary Atteberry, were in Union City Wednesday. — The infant son, Edward Naylor, of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Lusk, died Thursday night and the remains were put to rest in the Cayce cemetery Friday. — Mrs. Maggie Ramsey and daughter, Miss Sue Davis, and Miss Tandy, of Clinton, were the guests of Henry Davis and family Saturday. — Miss Zilla Carter and Sherman Marshall, of Nashville, were the guests of Miss Nannie Lutten Sunday. — Henry Davis has returned home after a visit to his son, Dr. Henry Davis, of Cairo. — Joe Johnson is on the sick list this week. — Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sublett and children, of Clinton, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis. — Miss Nannie Lutten is spending several days in Union City with D. A. Lutten and family. — Mrs. Joe Nailling and Miss Mary Atteberry were the guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Wayne, of Oakton. — Misses Jessie Wall, Mary Atteberry, Louise Menees, Mary Spears and Mrs. Joe Nailling attended the surprise wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, near Moscow,

Sunday, Rev. Waters, of Union City, performed the ceremony. The couple requested that their names be kept a secret at present. — Rev. Waters, of Union City, Rev. Davis, of Clinton, and Rev. Harding, of Moscow, attended the quarterly meeting here Saturday. — Mr. and Mrs. Will Alexander spent Monday with her brother, Arval Stevenson, of Jordan. — Rev. Spears filled his regular appointment here Sunday and had a large attendance.

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### L. O. O. M. NOTICE.

Hickman Lodge No. 1294, Loyal Order of Moose, requests the presence of every member at their regular meeting to be held at the Olds Fellow's Hall, Oct. 6, 1914, at 8 o'clock sharp, as there is important business to come before the lodge. — C. M. Reynolds, secretary.

"Trey of Hearts" shown at the Crystal and printed in the Courier. Watch for it.

N. R. Holcombe spent Saturday in Union City with his aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Hall.

Courier Want Ads get results.

### CRUTCHFIELD ROUTE TWO.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Smith have returned home after several days visit with relatives at Barlow, Ky. They made the trip in an auto. — Little Misses Lottie and Pauline Smith have returned to Dyersburg after an extended visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Smith, and other relatives. — Miss Della Cooper, of Water Valley, visited relatives on this route last week. — Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Wade and son, Perry, returned home Saturday after a week visit with relatives at Hopkinsville. They made the trip in Mr. Wade's auto. — Hurdle Jones and family, of near Clinton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roper Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Morrow have moved near Moscow. — Mr. and Mrs. John Gaskins, of Crutchfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roper Saturday night. — Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith, of Water Valley, attended church at Harmony. — Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Youree, of Moscow, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown Thursday and Friday. — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr, of Fulton, visited friends on this route last week. — Miss Vida Mahan, of Moscow, visited Mrs. Grace Hoodenpyle Monday. — Edd Barber and daughter, Miss Jessie, of Hickman, visited relatives here Sunday. — Rev. Davis, of Harmony closed a very successful meeting at that place Tuesday. Rev. Bynd did most of the preaching and had some excellent subjects. There were 63 or more conversions and 45 additions to the church and 9 babies baptized. The church was greatly revived in general. — Mrs. Edd Flippin and mother visited in Hickman Tuesday. — Mrs. Hoyt Youree of Fulton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown Sunday and attended services at Harmony. — Charley Hicks and family, of Crowley, visited Mr. and Mrs. Logan Seat Saturday and Sunday. — Clyde Corum was in Clinton Saturday on business. — Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Jones, of near Union City, spent Sunday with Mrs. Eva Jones. — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crostie, of Cayce, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alexander, of Cayce, attended church at Harmony Sunday. — Mrs. Alex Corum happened to a very painful accident Saturday. She slipped and fell and broke her right arm and

threw her wrist out of place. A physician was called to set the broken limb and she is resting very well at this writing. — Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Wright, of near Fulton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Belle Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arrington were in Fulton Saturday. — Mrs. George Pewitt visited Mrs. Mary Treas, of Roper, Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. Tom White and son, Herbert and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brown and daughter motored to Union City Saturday, returning home Sunday. — Mrs. Pattie Youree and Miss Nell Crostie, of Moscow, visited Mr. and Mrs. Neeley Hoodenpyle Sunday. — Lon Smith, of Dyersburg, visited his mother, Mrs. Fannie Smith,

Sunday. — Will Moss and family, of Jordan, visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Belle Sunday. — John and Murrell Veach were in Bardwell Saturday on business. — Joe Smith spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Arrington, of Fulton. — Fred and Roy Barber spent Thursday night with Jno. Rankin and family, of near Fulton. — Miss Rose Smith visited relatives in Fulton last week. — Mrs. Ada Barber and daughters, Misses Cantie and Lucy, visited in Union City Friday and Saturday. — Tom Alexander and Charley Barber were in Hickman Saturday. — Miss Cantie Barber visited Miss Nell Crostie, of Moscow, Sunday. — Quite a number of Harmony people attended quarterly meeting at Moscow Monday. — Miss Della Hoodenpyle is visiting Miss Jessie Barber, of Hickman. — Miss Alma Vance returned home Sunday from Bardwell after a few days visit. — Jurd Champion and family, of Ebenezer, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Brown. — Jno. Rankin and family, of near Fulton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Clark Sunday.



## FALL PICTURES

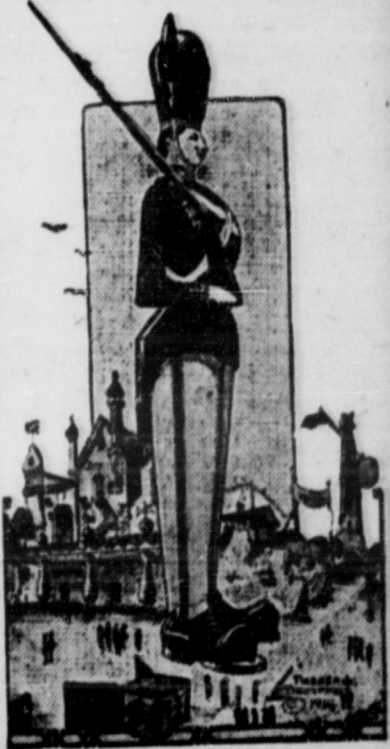
Now is the time of year you want to get some beautiful fall views. Picture taking is so easy and such a pleasant pastime that you will really miss lots of pleasure if you don't get a

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Miss Mildred Ramage spent Saturday in Union City.

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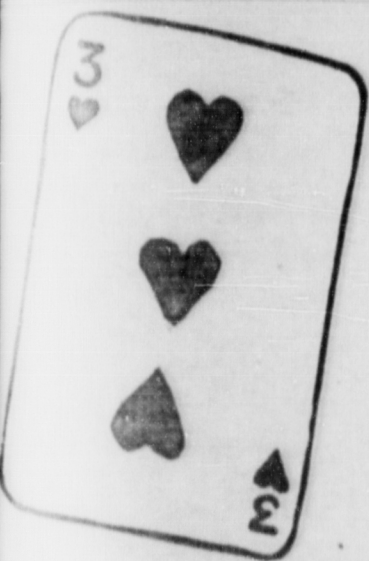
# W. A. Dodds



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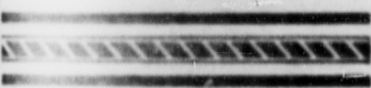
## The Trey O'Hearts

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CAN SAVE 10 PER CENT BY PAYING CASH.

A Kansas groceryman conducts two stores, one a credit and delivery business, and the other a strictly cash, with no delivery. The two stores are side by side, but prices at the cash store are just 10 per cent less than at the credit store. The cash store has a telephone connection, no delivery wagons, and a very simple form of bookkeeping. Customers are said to be leaving the credit and delivery store in order to save the 10 per cent, although they have to carry their own groceries home, and can not order them by telephone. The proprietor figures that it takes at least 10 per cent to make delivery, collect bills, keep account of each customer's debits and credits, and conduct the business on a credit basis.

It recalls to mind that the cash customer pays for the fellow who don't pay, and it isn't through the paying customer exacting right. In Hickman there is an unusually large number of deadbeats, who are mere pharisees of the merchant and his honest customer. We need a movement along these lines.

### DON'T DELAY TREATING YOUR COUGH.

A slight cough often becomes serious. Lungs get congested. Bronchial Tubes fill with mucus. Your vitality is reduced. You need Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. It soothes your irritated air passages, loosens mucus and makes you resist colds. Give the old and children Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. It's guaranteed to help them. Only 25 cents at your druggist.



### News Snapshots Of the Week

The great war in Europe continued with fierce fighting on all sides. Hospitals in all cities near the scenes of action were crowded with wounded, and Red Cross nurses and physicians were worked to the utmost. The steamship Red Cross prepared to leave New York, carrying thirty physicians and 120 nurses to the battlefields. Much fighting was done behind hastily constructed barricades, wagons and other vehicles being used in the streets to check the advances of the enemy. Business of nearly all kinds was at a standstill, and the governments commandeered horses and other supplies when needed and wherever found. General Gallieni directed the French army near Paris. Pope Benedict appointed Cardinal Ferrata secretary of state, and arrangements were made to take steps to arrange for peace.

# PUBLIC SALE

## Thursday, Oct. 8, 1914

We will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, the following personal property of L. C. Maddox, deceased. Sale to be held at the L. C. Maddox home place, three miles north of Woodland Mills, one-half mile east of Shuck's Switch and six miles southeast of Hickman on the Shuck Road.

- 5 WORK MULES
- 4 BROOD MARES
- 2 TWO YR. OLD HORSES, well broke
- 1 YEARLING COLT (by Irascible Squirrel.)
- 1 TWO YEAR OLD MULE
- 12 MILK COWS, with calves
- 4 YEARLINGS
- 1 RED POLLED BULL 2½ YRS
- 30 HEAD BREEDING EWES and TWO BUCKS
- THREE SOWS, with pigs
- 50 HEAD SHOATS, 60 to 125 pounds
- ONE COMPLETE ADVANCE THRESHING OUTFIT
- 3 WHEAT DRILLS

- 3 HARROWS
- 1 CORN HARROW
- 5 BREAKING PLOWS
- 3 CULTIVATORS
- 1 BINDER
- 1 MOWER
- 1 ROLLER
- 2 DISC HARROWS
- 1 WOODEN DRAG
- 1 CORN PLANTER
- 1 METAL DIPPING TANK
- 1 3-HORSE RIDING PLOW
- 50 LOCUST FENCE POSTS
- HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, and other things too numerous to mention.

In case of rain sale will be held the next day.

Dinner, with barbecued meats, will be served on grounds.

TERMS--All amounts of \$10.00 and under, cash; over this amount ten month's time will be given on a bankable note, without interest.

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### JUDGE BUNK GARDNER.

A case in Mayfield before Judge Gardner shows what the law and a manly judge can do. A negro was arrested for having more liquor in his possession than one would likely need and led to a fine of \$50 and ten days in jail; even though the fellow said the liquor was for personal use.

The record at the express office showed that he had received other liquors.

Had there been a judge on the bench who was in favor of the "personal liberty" idea, he would have given the negro boot-legal the benefit of the doubt rather than the law abiding citizens. Every law is weak in the hands of men who are out of sympathy with the law. The only remedy is a manly judge who will represent his constituents.—American Issue.

When a man goes home with a long blond hair on his vest, his wife never stops to figure that there is such an animal as Reasonable Doubt.

The big sensation—"The Trey of Hearts," next week.

### DIVERSIFICATION OF CROPS.

The importance of crop diversification is illustrated in a dispatch from Seguin, Texas, which reports that the German farmers, who constitute a majority in Guadalupe county, are holding their cotton without assistance from the banks. They are able to do this, it is added, because they produce on their farms nearly everything in the way of food that their families require.

There is no part of the country that is so well adapted to diversified farming as the South. The one great obstacle in the way is the large number of tenant farmers who depend upon cotton as their money crop. The farm owner and the tenant are mutually interested in the production of a sure money crop in order that the landlord may get his rent and the tenant may get his living. Past experience has shown that cotton is most dependable for the purpose. As a consequence the farmers bend their energies to the production of cotton and neglect other crops.

The same condition prevails in many parts of Kentucky with respect to tobacco. There are many tenant farmers. The tenant who has a good crop of tobacco coming on has credit at the village store. The man who owns the land knows he will get his rent when the tobacco is sold. It may be that there will not be much left for the tenant after paying his rent and his debts, but one tobacco crop scarcely is off his hands before another one is started and by the process of perpetual motion he at least continues to exist.

The one-crop system is not a good one, but tenant farming is on the increase in every part of the country. The farmer who owns and cultivates his land can and ought to diversify his crops. Under the prevailing rule there is not much hope of diversification on the part of the tenant.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### IT REALLY DOES RELIEVE RHEUMATISM.

Everybody who is afflicted with rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of the pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

An American newspaper correspondent, who marched with the German armies more than a hundred miles, and was with them for two weeks, states that the stories of shocking German atrocities upon prisoners and defenseless civilians were monstrous falsehoods. He says the German soldiers are uniformly kind and courteous and he did not see one solitary act of discourtesy, except one, and that was not so bad. He saw an extremely good looking Flemish girl hand a fine looking German trooper a flagon of beer. When the trooper had drunk the beer, he leaned over in his saddle and gave the beauty a kiss.

### BIDS WANTED.

Owing to the failure of the following property owners to comply with the City Ordinance which instructed them to have a concrete walk 4 feet wide put down in front of their property on the following streets, the city will have same put down at their expense. Contract for the above work to be let to the lowest bidder on the first Monday night of Oct. 1914. All bids to be turned in to the Mayor on or before 8 p. m. Oct. 5, 1914.

The above property is as follows:

- Lot No. 93, owner, Miss-Mena Diestlebrink.
- Lots Nos. 85, 84, 83, 82, 81, 80, 79, owner, C. H. Moore.
- Lots Nos. 86, 87, 88, owner, H. C. Lauderdale.
- Lots Nos. 89, 90, owner, Jennie McCutchen.
- Lots Nos. 91, 92, owner, P. J. Frenz.
- Lots Nos. 93, 94, 95, 96, owner, C. P. Northcross.
- Lots Nos. 97, 98, owner, Collier Heirs.
- Lots Nos. 99, 100, owner United Brothers of Friendship.
- Lots Nos. 234, 235, 236, owner, Frank Thompson Estate.
- The above described property lies on the north side of Moseow avenue in East Hickman, Ky.
- Not No. 147, owner, Cue Threlkeld.
- Lot No. 148, owner, Stephen Stahr.
- Lot No. 149, owner Presbyterian Church.
- Lot No. 150, owner, J. W. Morris.
- The above described property lies on the north side of Moulton street in old Hickman, Ky.
- Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.  
Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

### AN OLD CLOCK.

In the Henderson Hotel office at Clinton, Ky., hangs a most interesting and peculiar looking old clock and upon its face is written the following:

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This clock has been running 80 years or 29,200 days or 700,800 hours or 42,058,000 minutes or 2,522,880,000 seconds and still keeps standard time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roe Campbell spent a day or two in Hickman the first of the week at the home of John Turner.—Clinton Gazette.

Livery men, farmers and those who drive horses say that the flies are worse this season than they ever knew before.

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Burton, Under the  
Circumstances.

Houston, Texas.—In an interesting letter from this city, Mrs. S. C. Burton writes as follows: "I think it is my duty to tell you what your medicine, Cardui, the woman's tonic, has done for me.

I was down sick with womanly trouble, and my mother advised several different treatments, but they didn't seem to do me any good. I lingered along for three or four months, and for three weeks, I was in bed, so sick I couldn't bear for any one to walk across the floor.

My husband advised me to try Cardui, the woman's tonic. I have taken two bottles of Cardui, am feeling fine, gained 15 pounds and do all of my housework. Friends hardly know me, I am so well. If you suffer from any of the ailments so common to women, don't allow the trouble to become chronic. Begin taking Cardui to-day. It is purely vegetable, its ingredients acting in a gentle, natural way on the weakened womanly constitution. You run no risk in trying Cardui. It has been helping weak women back to health and strength for more than 50 years. It will help you. At all dealers.

Write for: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, 15c-B.

A Rustem Bey, the Turkish ambassador, has informed President Wilson that he does not alter the view he recently expressed in a published interview and will leave the United States within a fortnight. The announcement of the withdrawal of the Turkish ambassador, though not unexpected, caused a profound sensation in diplomatic circles.

## CRUTCHFIELD NEWS.

After a visit to her mother, Mrs. H. M. Kearby, Mrs. Homan Cunningham has returned to her home in Washington, D. C.—Mr. and Mrs. Cris Jones, of Paducah, came down Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore.—Oren Veatch who has been confined to his bed for some time with typhoid fever is improving slowly.—J. T. Smith spent Sunday in Clinton.—Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Newport and little son, James, have returned from Chicago and are the guests of W. B. Walston and wife.—Joe Barber and Miss Inez Bynum visited relatives in Hickman Saturday and Sunday.—Guy Belew has returned from a business trip to Rutherford, Tenn.—Mrs. Elizabeth Carroll, of Cairo, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Bruce.—Prof. and Mrs. Bedford Turner spent Sunday in Clinton with relatives.—Mrs. Roy Combs, of Fulton, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. B. Walston.—Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McClure, of Harmony, visited friends here Sunday.—Miss Nina Walker, of New Hope, visited friends here Sunday.—Miss Ina Belle who is teaching at Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.—Mrs. V. B. O'Neal and Miss Elise Luten spent Saturday in Fulton.—Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Adams, of Mt. Carmel, spent Sunday at the home of S. H. Carver.—Misses Mary Ray and Irene Latta, of New Hope, spent Sunday at the home of W. C. Latta.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Veatch are on the sick list.—A small son of Charlie Moore is ill of typhoid fever.—Robt. Garrett, of Cairo, spent a few days this week with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Bruce.—Robt. Garrett and Russell Gaskins were in Fulton Saturday.—Mrs. J. B. Bruce spent Monday in Bardwell.—Mrs. H. M. Kearby spent Saturday in Fulton, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Bellew.—John R. Turney, of Milburn, spent Thursday night with his brother, Dr. A. J. Turney.—Among those who attended Quarterly Conference at Rush Creek Saturday from here were: S. J. Fletcher, Sidney Smith, August Guyn and Raymond Carver.—We have a splendid school this year. Prof. Bedford Turner is principal. The lower grades are taught by Miss Lillian Coffey and the primary grades are taught by Miss Elise Luten. The music is under the direction of Mrs. Bedford Turner.—Eld. Needham, of Martin, conducted a twelve days meeting here which closed last Friday night. Eld. Needham is of the Missionary Baptist faith. He did some splendid preaching and there was a great revival, there being about thirty professions. Nine came forward and wished to unite with the church at Mt. Carmel, there being no Baptist church at this place. The ordinance of baptism will be attended to next Sunday afternoon by Rev. Waters, pastor of Mt. Carmel church.—Rev. Spears of the Crutchfield Methodist church, filled in appointment Sunday, preaching morning and night. Nine were added to the church, seven by immersion and one by sprinkling and one by letter.—After spending several weeks in Arkansas, Walter Edmiston has returned home. He will move his family to Cayce this week and Mrs. May Treas will move here and assist in running the telephone exchange.—Mrs. T. J. Fletcher, S. J. Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams spent from Monday till Thursday near Clayton, Tenn., where they were called to attend the bedside of their relative, Mrs. Adeline Chapman. Mrs. Chapman died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday near her home. She was a sister to the late T. J. Fletcher who died in May of this year.—Miss Lucy Bryant, of Athens, Ga., has arrived to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. W. V. Little.—Rolley Howard is on the sick list.—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith and little daughter, Evelyn, of Clinton, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith.—Mrs. Geo. Rankins and children were in Fulton Saturday.—Mose Bryant continues ill at his home near Mt. Carmel.—Will Jeffress and family, of Cayce, visited Irvin Jeffress Sunday.—The relatives and friends of Mrs. Sarah Howell met at the home of her son, Rolly Howell, Sunday and gave her a surprise dinner, celebrating her seventy-fourth birthday. Everything that could be prepared by loving hands was brought and all enjoyed the day very much. Bro. R. H. Pigne, of Fulton, was present and in the afternoon preached a fine sermon, taking for his

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text the Scripture found in Matthew X11, 31. There were 7 of her children present, viz: Holly Howell, John Wes Howell, Tom Henry Howell, Clint Howell, Mrs. Lonie Cook, Mrs. Mattie Thompson and Mrs. Mettie Guyn and enough other relatives and friends to swell the number to seventy-nine. Mrs. Howell received a number of nice presents and all left wishing for her return of many more such occasions.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bynum, Charles Howell and mother and Mrs. L. O. Carter and daughter, of Clinton, and Clint Howell and family, of Fulton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Howell.

## How To Give Quinine To Children.

FEBRILINE is the trade-mark name given to an improved Quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not nauseate nor cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try it the next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for 2 ounce original package. The name FEBRILINE is blown in bottle. 25 cents.

"John Barleycorn," by Jack London, will be shown in moving pictures in Springfield during the W. C. T. U. convention in session this week. It is reported as good authority that the large liquor interests offered the film owners \$25,000 to keep the pictures out of the States in which the prohibition question is being voted on. Whenever the people can be made to behold "John Barleycorn" in his real light, his name is usually changed to "Dennis."

West Hickman Baptist church—Sunday School at 9:30; preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are invited to worship with us.

Why not "treat" the family? Let us send up a quart bottle of Welch's Grape Juice. Only 50c.—Bettersworth & Ezell.

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COULDN'T STANDTestifies She Was Restored  
to Health by Lydia E.  
Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound.

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The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female ills.

Women who suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should be convinced of the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health by the many genuine and truthful testimonials we are constantly publishing in the newspapers.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

ADVOCATE GOV'T. LOAN  
TO AID COTTON PLANTERS.

A government loan of \$500,000, 60 to cotton farmers at the rate of \$35 a bale, was advocated before the house banking and currency committee Tuesday by Southern congressmen and representatives of the National Farmers' union. Representative Henry, of Texas, one of those who favored the loan, urged the committee to put a stop to issuance of emergency currency, which, he said, would not help the people in distress.

Mr. Henry said banks in the south were withholding the emergency currency from cotton farmers who need immediate help. He wanted the money apportioned among the southern states according to the cotton production in 1913, and suggested the loans be made through banks or by postmasters.

P. S. Mobley, of the Arkansas Farmers' union, explained how the cotton trade had been paralyzed by the war and urged the necessity of some action along the lines emphasized by Mr. Henry. He said the bankers were not loaning money, because they were afraid to put out funds on long term notes, and declared agricultural interests should be given the same emergency consideration accorded commercial emergency. The cotton farmers, he said, were ready to give the government 100 per cent security.

## No. Six-Sixty-Six

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

## ROPER DISTRICT ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lunsford and daughter, Sophia, of Hickman, visited Hugh French and family Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Gale Roach and children, of Cayce, spent Sunday with Len Bryant and family.—Jesse Scott was in Union City Monday on business.—Jessie Scott is able to be at school again after several weeks illness.—Mrs. R. A. Fields spent Monday with Mrs. Gale Roach, of Cayce.—Mrs. S. N. Sweeney and sister, Mrs. Warren, and little daughter, Bernice, of Hickman, visited our school Friday.—Mr. and Mrs. Smiley, of near Columbus, visited her brother, H. J. French, and family, Sunday.—Roper school is busy getting ready for the fair.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly  
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

## PAY YOUR TAXES.

Pay your state, county and school taxes now and avoid penalty. Books are at my office over Hickman Bank & Trust Co. Respectfully  
Bailey Huddleston,  
Sheriff and tax collector

One of our Kentucky exchange remarks that "the man who votes the local newspaper a failure as an advertising medium is the first to request the editor to withhold his name when he steals his neighbor's horse or wife or comes into unenviable notoriety through some other infraction of the law." Yes, the point of view makes a good deal of difference. Almost everybody likes a newspaper boost—provided it does not cost anything. On the contrary nobody enjoys a newspaper blast. The salt of the earth, from a newspaper standpoint, is the fellow who knows the value of advertising and is willing to pay for it and does not feel that he wasted any money in a transaction of that sort.

Awakened by a fusillade of revolver shots Saturday night, Beverly Reynolds, a negro, of North Christian County, found his house surrounded by masked men. They riddled his home with bullets, and one of the shots passed through his right hand. The night riders broke through the door and dragged the negro a mile into the woods, where he was given twenty lashes with long switches. About thirty-five men, all heavily masked, were in the band, which is supposed to be the same one which has been operating around Dawson Springs.

Karl Talley has accepted his former position in the office of the Mengel Box Company here.

Mrs. Hollis Kirk has resigned her position with Smith & Amberg.

COME TO THE

West Hickman Supply Co.

The Wide Awake Grocery of West Hickman

Give us a trial and we will convince you that our methods of doing business is money to you.

Lard, per pound	11c
Hominy, 3 cans for	24c
Best Corn, 3 cans for	24c
Irish Potatoes, per peck	27c
Luzianna Coffee, per 1 lb. can	28c
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	30c
Sugar, 14 pounds for	\$1.00
Bran, per sack	1.40

THESE PRICES ARE FOR CASH ONLY

WEST HICKMAN SUPPLY CO., Inc.

Miss Mozelle Brasfield, of Woodland Mills, visited Miss George Burrus the latter part of last week.

Miss Belle Mercer, of Jackson, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Alice Amberg and family.

Go to the Crystal tonight

J. M. Renshaw, 64 years of age, former sheriff of Christian county and one of the most popular planters and stockmen in Southern Kentucky, was shot from a bush Friday afternoon while he was driving to the city from his home, two miles south of Hickman.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF AUG. 24, 1912 of Hickman Courier published weekly at Hickman, Ky., for October 1, 1914.

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Known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities, none.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of September, 1914.

(Seal) Thos. R. Powell,  
(My commission expires Feb. 28, 1918.)

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HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

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KINDS, IRON FENCING.

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## STEAMBOAT TIME TABLE

## Lee Line Steamers

"Excursion Season Now On"

PASSENGER RATES

ONE WAY	TO	ROUND TRIP
\$5.50	St. Louis	\$9.50
4.50	Memphis	8.00

Meals and Berths included enroute only.

For St. Louis and Landings—

Stacker Lee leaves Tuesdays p.m.

Rees Lee follows Saturdays p.m.

For Memphis and Landings—

Rees Lee leaves Wednesdays p.m.

Stacker Lee follows Saturday p.m.

Right reserved to pass all landings deemed unsafe.

Phone 99 W. F. McGUIRE, Agent, Hickman, Ky



NINE COUNTIES VOTE  
DRY—THREE WET.

Nine counties of the 12 counties in Kentucky which voted on the whiskey question Monday returned large "dry" majorities, while only 3 remain "wet." In only 1 county, Anderson, was it close, which went "wet" by a majority of 64 votes. In every county but one, the fight was made by both sides. This gives the wets nine out of the 15 counties which held prohibition elections since the passage of the new county unite bill. The biggest fight was in Fayette, home of many of the biggest distilleries in the country, which gave a majority of 1264 for the "wets." In the 10 counties which voted to remain the liquor question there, the distilleries there. The fight wound up one of the most vigorous campaigns which has been made in a long while by the "wet" element.

A great interest was manifested over the county, as "wets" were believed to be more strongly entrenched in the Blue Grass State than in any other in the nation. However, no charges were made of fraud and in no instance was there any trouble. The vote in Bell county, the only town in Southeastern Kentucky which has saloons, was a surprise. The county voted "dry." The vote by counties follows:

County	Wet	Dry
Barren	1,906	2,311
Carroll	679	1,195
Montgomery	1,174	1,384
Anderson	3,550	2,497
Meigs	333	333
Kenton	3,264	333
Bell	1,396	1,781
Boone	593	1,121
Clark	1,774	211
Snyder	1,941	2,524
Anderson	1,263	1,199
Scott	1,619	2,032

The indications are that the war in Europe will only cease when there are no fighters. It is going on with more vengeance now than when first begun. It has entered upon its ninth week.

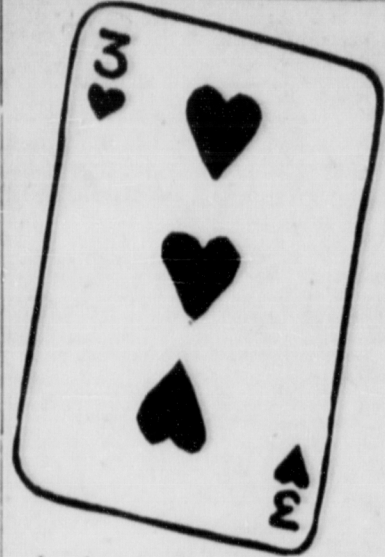
L. M. Carter was called to Bon Ann Springs Wednesday, on account of the serious illness of his father—M. P. Carter.

William Stoll, of Lexington, was elected president of the Kentucky Bankers' Association.

Floyd Addison has accepted a position at Smith & Amberg in the dry goods department.

W. C. Johnson and wife and R. B. Gosler and wife spent Monday in Union City.

School supplies cost less at Ellison's Bargain Store.



In the Courier—October 22.

N. C. & ST. L. RY. CO.  
HAS BOUGHT A BALE.

Agent R. B. Johnson, acting for Supt. Hicks, of the N. C. & St. L. Ry. Co., bought his first bale of cotton yesterday from Jake Plant. The bale weighs 485 pounds for which 10c a pound was paid. The railroad company is trying to encourage the "buy-a-bale" movement and will buy three more bales in Hickman. Many other agents in the cotton belt have been instructed to buy a like number.

## NEW MANAGER ARRIVES.

A. H. Young left this morning for Union City, where he will accept a position as assistant district manager of the Cumberland Tele. Co. During his stay in Hickman as local manager of the Cumberland exchange he made many friends. W. T. White, of Louisville, succeeds Mr. Young here, taking charge of the plant this morning.

At the instance of the Y. M. B. League, a Mr. Wheeler, of Paducah, was here Tuesday making a survey of local conditions with a view to recommending measures necessary to get a reduction on our fire insurance rates. We will not know exactly the requirements until his report has gone before the state board for their consideration.

The Day of Atonement, Yom Kippur, the holiest day in the Jewish calendar, was yesterday.

Meslames J. M. Hubbard, A. E. Kennedy and E. B. Prather are in Nashville this week.

Mrs. Chester Barnes is quite sick and seems to be threatened with typhoid fever.

All the new shapes in Stetson and Lion Special Hats at popular prices.—Bradley.

Subscribe for the Courier.

WATER AND LIGHT PLANT  
HAS NEW MANAGER.

George Miltenberger, who has been associated for a number of years with the corporation, which owns the Hickman light and power plant, comes from Perry, Mo., to Hickman in the capacity of local manager of the Hickman branch.

Since O. P. Moss resigned a similar position here several months ago, this plant has been under the supervision of W. D. Skeen, with headquarters at Fulton, and Mr. Miltenberger is the first resident local manager on the job since Mr. Moss's departure. The change also relieves Mr. Skeen of the responsibility of this plant. Doyle Jurney, a Hickman boy and one of the most efficient men in the employ of the corporation, will still continue in the capacity of assistant local manager.

Vice Pres. Moorhead, of St. Louis, accompanied the new manager to Hickman yesterday, and while making a friendly call at this office, informed us that Mr. Miltenberger had instructions to look into the local water situation. If there is any possible way to improve it, it will be done. The presence of oxide of iron in the water, although not injurious to health, has been a continuous source of provocation to the housewife and a perplexing problem to the company.

After Europe gets through with the job of killing needlessly hundreds of thousands of her very best citizens, the United States will get many thousands of the best class of immigrants who ever came to these shores. Besides wanting to get away from the chance of any further wars, the feature of escaping some of the heavy resultant taxes will be appealing.

Household articles and novelties of every description on our 5c and 10c counter.—Ellison's Bargain Store.

STRAYED: Light bay horse, left eye out "sway back," about 15 years old.—W. T. Owens. Ip

New things in tin, granite, galvanized, wooden and queensware at Ellison's Bargain Store.

Packard Shoes (for ladies) in all styles and at no advance in prices.—R. L. Bradley.

Mrs. Moore, of Pulaski, Ills., is visiting her son, F. S. Moore, and wife.

Lige Oman was here the latter part of last week from Tiptonville.

Better groceries for less money at Ellison's Bargain Store.

## Reduced Prices

Quoted last week will hold good all next week

Many new things of this season's pack are being added to our stock this week, just as fast as they come on the market

## Sugars

Fine Granulated, 15 lb. to the Dollar  
7 lb. for 50c., 3 lb. for 25c.Yellow Clarified, a light brown,  
15 lb. to the Dollar.  
7 lb. for 50c., 3 lb. for 25c

## Coffees

A splendid Roast Coffee,  
14c a poundFinest Santos Peaberry,  
22c a bound

## Flour

High Patent Fancy,  
\$5.50 per barrel  
75c the sack  
Guaranteed fullyNavy Beans, 6c  
Head Rice, 8c  
Arm & Hammer Soda, 4c  
Celluloid Starch, 4c

Now have of the new pack—

Evaporated Apples, 10c  
Evaporated Peaches, 9c  
Evaporated Apricots, 15c  
New Figs, 10c  
New Mackerel, 10c, 3 for 25  
New Kraut, fine

We expect in this week—

New Flake Hominy  
New Seeded Raisins  
New Loose Raisins  
New Pancake Flour

## Meats and Lard

Swift's Premium Hams, the finest  
on the market.Whole Hams, 22c a pound  
Sliced, 25c

Bacon, 18c

D. S. Bacon, 16c

Pure Lard, 13c

English Cured Bacon, equal to  
Breakfast Bacon, 21c

Snow Drift, No. 3 cans, 40c

## Soaps

Lenox, 8 cakes for 25c

Clairette, 7 cakes for 25c

Ivory, 6 cakes for 25c

Big Deal and Clean Easy, 6 for 25c

Specially low prices will be made on

Ranges, Cook Stoves, Heating Stoves, Oil Stoves

Kitchen Cabinets, Enameled Ware, Kitchen Ware

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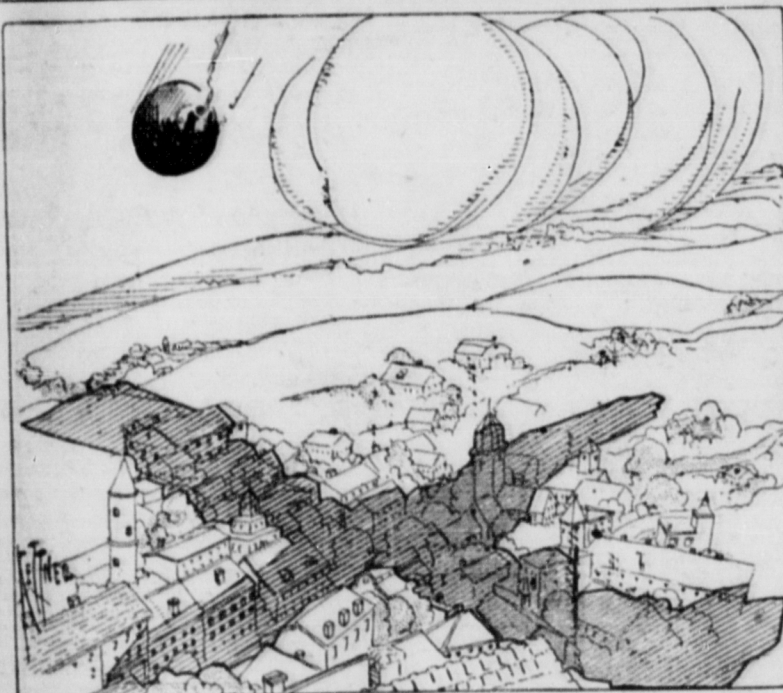
Our shoe line is most complete containing all the new models, low and medium heels, and prices are most moderate.

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On The Corner.

The Dry Goods Man

## SHADOW OF DEATH



(Copyright.)

Henry F. Turner, county attorney of Ballard county and a candidate for commonwealth's attorney of this district, is in Hickman today.

Mrs. S. K. Davidson and daughter, Miss Dottie, left yesterday for a visit with relatives at Kenton.

The ten year old son of Amos Nichols (colored) died Sunday of lockjaw. The boy stuck a nail in his foot.

Rev. Pennoch, of Cairo, will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.

"Billikin," Weather Bird and Tom Boy school shoes. Let us fit the youngsters.—Bradley's.

SPECIAL: We have a large number of splendid values in high grade hats, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, all colors and sizes; while they last, your choice, only \$1.—R. L. Bradley.

Mrs. Jessie Burgoyne leaves tomorrow for her home in New York after a visit with Mrs. C. C. Smith and Mrs. Alice Amberg.

The Literary Circle will meet with Miss Mattie DeBow next Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock.

S. B. Burrus returned yesterday from Nashville where he carried his wife for an operation.

A. B. Hughes, wife and son returned yesterday from a visit with his sister in Memphis.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

WHEREAS, It has pleased the infinite wisdom of God to remove from our midst Sov. D. W. Richmond, be it resolved,

THAT, Elm Camp No. 3, W. O. W., has sustained a great loss in the decease of Sov. Richmond.

THAT, He was faithful to the order that he loved so well, circumspect in his life and generous toward his fellowman.

THAT, Elm Camp extend her kindly sympathies to the bereaved ones, and furnish them a copy of these resolutions. Also that one copy be sent the Hickman Courier for publication and that all this be entered into the records of the Camp.

Geo. Stovall,  
T. A. Stark,  
T. C. Bondurant,  
Committee.

With war in Europe, in Mexico in South America, in South Africa and in China, the bird of peace is thinking seriously of taking up permanent abode in the United States.

New shipment of our famous candies just in. No advance in prices: 20 cent per pound.—Ellison Bargain Store.

James Wright, of Trimble, spent a few days last week with his son, John Wright, and family.

Miss Lou Barry, of St. Louis, is the guest of Mrs. T. A. Ledford, arriving here Saturday.

Miss Lou Montgomery left Tuesday for Union City to visit Mrs. J. A. Wheeler.

Mrs. Perry Casey, of Union City, spent Tuesday with Mrs. W. P. Skinner.

Go to the Crystal tonight.



## Twelve Reasons Why You Should Buy Your Groceries of Us

No. 12.

BECAUSE you can actually save more money and more patience, as a comparative experience will show.

Come in and get acquainted.

Thank you for your attention.



### New Things for This Week

Grapes (purple) per basket.....	25c
Tokay Grapes (white) pound.....	15c
Celery, per bunch.....	5c
Cranberries, per quart.....	20c
Lemons, nice ones, per dozen.....	25c
Oranges, per dozen.....	30c
Calif. Asparagus Tips, 3 cans.....	50c
Towel's Gran. and Maple sugar syrup, quart.....	25c
Rock Candy Drip Syrup, qt. bottle.....	50c
Swift's Toilet Soaps, 10c size, cake.....	5c

**Prather & Malone.**

Both Phones

#### COMFORTING WORDS.

Many a Hickman Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove comforting words to hundreds of Hickman readers.

W. A. Smith, Hickman, Ky., says: "I can highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, as I have used them for kidney trouble and have always been greatly benefited. I had pains across the small of my back and in my sides. My kidneys and bladder were weak, obliging me to get up at night. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. Now I seldom have need of a kidney remedy."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Smith recommends. Foster-Milburn Co., Prop., Buffalo, N. Y.

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## NEWS OF THE WEEK

HAPPENINGS OF THE SEVEN  
PAST DAYS ARE BRIEFLY  
TOLD HERE.

### FROM AROUND THE PLANET

Dispatches From Our Own and Foreign Countries Are Here Given in Short Meter for Busy Readers.

That a monopoly has cut in half the price paid Southern farmers for cotton seed was the charge made at the department of justice by Representatives Hughes of Georgia and Abercrombie of Alabama.

Secretary Bryan has addressed a letter to Representative Jefferson Levy of New York urging him to consider selling Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson, to the government.

Play in the series for the world's baseball championship will begin Oct. 9 at 2 o'clock. It was announced by President B. B. Johnson of the American League, and member of the National Commission.

President Wilson signed the trade commission bill. He announced several weeks ago that he would not appoint the members of the commission until the December session of congress.

The Chilean minister of finance announced that although Chile was experiencing financial difficulties owing to the European war, the emission of paper currency would not be increased.

David A. Gates of Little Rock, state tax commissioner, was in Pine Bluff conferring with the Jefferson county equalization board, and urged that the assessments of river bottom land be raised.

Nathan Brown, a negro, was lynched by a mob near Rochelle, Ga., for shooting to death Edward Rountree, a farm overseer. The negro was caught after an all-day chase with bloodhounds.

Capt. Benjamin Watkins, second infantry, was found dead at the Fort Shafter target range. Indications were that he had shot himself.

Strong efforts are being made to patch up the differences between Gen. Carranza and Gen. Villa. Leading constitutionalist officials are bringing pressure to bear both at Mexico City and at Chihuahua City.

Democratic state convention at Burlington, Vt., nominated Charles D. Watson of St. Albans to succeed United States Senator W. P. Dillingham, Republican, rejecting an attempt to have it endorse the Progressive and Prohibition nominee, Charles A. Prouty.

After a night of muttering and rumbling, Lassen Peak in California exploded in a sharp thunderclap which rocked the houses at Macomber Flat, distant nine miles from the mountain.

The next conference of state governors will be held Nov. 10 to 14. The first four days' sessions will be held at Madison, Wis., and the fifth in Milwaukee.

The common pleas court of Jersey City, N. J., dismissed the complaint made last July against the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, under which the company was charged with discrimination and endeavoring to establish a monopoly in gasoline.

The bureau of insular affairs of the war department has received from Manila notice that the privilege of cutting timber on a public forest tract on Luzon island will be awarded Nov. 14, next, to the best bidder. The tract embraces about 280,000 acres.

Interstate passenger fares, in both eastern and western territories, are to be increased by the railroads in the immediate future. The new rates will be fixed on a basis of 2½ cents a mile, but in particular cases will vary slightly.

Two hundred United Brethren churches are represented in Bloomington, Ill., at the sixty-ninth annual convention of the Illinois conference. The convention will continue over next Sunday.

Rather than pay his wife alimony, Ira McLain, a well-to-do farmer of Santa Rosa, Cal., murdered her in the corridor of the superior court and committed suicide with the same revolver. The court had just granted Mrs. McLain alimony in divorce proceedings.

The rivers and harbors bill was recommended to the commerce committee of the senate with instructions to the committee to cut the total of appropriations from \$34,000,000 to a sum not exceeding \$20,000,000. The motion to recommit was made after another day of filibustering.

The government's suit for the dissolution of the Eastman Kodak company, at Buffalo, N. Y., because of alleged violations of the Sherman anti-trust law, has been adjourned until Oct. 19.

Advices received at San Francisco from Tokio from Haruki Yamawaki, the Japanese commissioner to the Panama-Pacific exposition, say that Japan is proceeding with her preparation for participation in the exhibit.

The Siasconett station of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph company was ordered closed by Secretary of the Navy Daniels. The action was taken because of the handling at this station of alleged unneutral messages.

Endorsement was given by President Wilson to the appeal of the American Red Cross for special collections in all churches Sunday, Oct. 4, to swell the European war relief fund.

Frederick J. Stimson of Boston was nominated by President Wilson to be United States ambassador to the Argentine Republic.

Manuel Bonilla, minister of communications in the cabinet of former President Francisco I. Madero, and a number of other persons were arrested and imprisoned at Mexico City. No reasons for the arrests were made public.

The Clayton anti-trust bill, second of the administration trust legislative measures, is at last ready for final consideration of congress after many months of deliberation in both houses.

Messages to the revenue cutter service at Washington announcing the wreck of the cutter Tahoma in the Aleutian islands contained assurances that the crew of nine officers and 62 men would be saved.

The Aero Club of America gave out a notice received from the Aero Club of France that the contest of 1914 for the Coupe International d'Aviation had been postponed indefinitely.

Lillian Russell, the actress, who is Mrs. A. P. Moore in private life, was taken to a hospital at Pittsburg, suffering from appendicitis, to undergo an operation.

Gen. Carranza, supreme head of the Mexican constitutionalists, accepted the resignation of Gen. Villareal, who was acting minister of finance.

A gift of \$200,000 by John D. Rockefeller to the Young Men's Christian Association of Brooklyn was announced by the association, which is raising \$2,750,000 for new buildings.

Dr. W. R. Pettiford, founder and first president of the Alabama Penny Savings bank of Birmingham, Ala., president of the National Negro Bankers' association and one of the foremost negroes of the country, died after an illness of eight months.

The Anti-Saloon League of America announced that a state-wide campaign in Illinois in behalf of national prohibition will be held Oct. 5 to 11, inclusive. A similar campaign is being held in Massachusetts this week.

A complete firing test of all the guns in the canal forts has been completed. The test was in every way satisfactory and showed that they are prepared adequately to maintain the neutrality of the waterway.

Mrs. Sue C. Miller, widow of Darius Miller, who was president of the Burlington railroad, was the chief heir named in his will, filed recently in Chicago. The will disposes of property valued at \$550,000.

Following an attempt to escape from the Blackwell Island pen, William Bennett was drowned in the East river and his companion, Adolph Thorner, is in the hospital in a serious condition.

Six appraisers from the state school land department of Oklahoma went to Beaver county to appraise 25,000 acres of school land in that county, which was recently ordered sold by the commissioners of the land office.

Speed of more than 60 miles an hour was developed by Disturber IV, a 40-foot hydroaeroplane, owned by James A. Pugh of Chicago, in a trial spin on Lake Michigan. The speed was claimed to be the greatest a boat was ever driven.

Five Chicago boys are held by the police in connection with the death of Policeman John Gahde. The boys stopped at a saloon where they got into a fight with Gahde.

Led by mounted police, a thousand or more Pittsburg, Pa., women marched through the downtown streets in a peace parade. Each carried a pennant. One division was made up of women of foreign birth.

A dispatch from Liverpool states that while the liner Mauretania was entering her berth there on arriving from New York she became unmanageable in a heavy gale and was damaged by striking against the pier.

The company submitted a bid to furnish 60 street lights of 60-candlepower at an annual cost of \$14.50 each. The Western Light and Power company of Wellston offered to furnish 60-candlepower lights at \$12.60 a year.

W. D. Witzigman, ex-president of what was the Nebraska National bank of Norfolk, Neb., pleaded guilty in the federal court to a charge of misappropriating funds of the bank and was sentenced to five years in the federal penitentiary.

#### CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTICE.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Courier will not start the publication of the story until the 22nd of this month. Last week it stated the story would begin on the 9th, but will defer the opening chapter to correspond to the opening date at the movie show. Watch for the new story.

In the last issue of "The Publishers Auxiliary," there were over sixty newspapers advertised for sale, lease or rent. This is an indication that the newspaper business is not altogether a "get-rich-quick" proposition.

Construction work on the new Dodds building has been resumed. A delay was occasioned by the failure of the foundry to turn out the big I beams on schedule time.

Louis Weatherly returned last week, from Cincinnati, where he obtained a divorce from his wife, also the custody of their child. He is making his home at Woodland Mills.

Query: who are the precinct committeemen for West Hickman and Cayce precincts?

The carnival people pulled up stakes Sunday and left for New Madrid, Mo., by boat.

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## DISREGARD OF COURT DECISIONS

COURT LOWERS BARS ON ATTEMPTS TO REVIVE OLD QUESTION FOR ARGUMENTS.

### THE COURT OF LAST RESORT

Lecture Is Read To Circuit Judges—Will Not Entertain Appeals Involving Same Question.

Frankfort.—Disregard of the decisions of the court of appeals by circuit judges will not be tolerated. In reversing the judgment of the Carter circuit court in the case of John F. Rist against the commonwealth, the appellate court took occasion to read a lecture to circuit judges.

In this case Rist had been convicted of selling liquor in local option territory, notwithstanding the appellate court had held in a number of cases, and several from that county, that liquor dealers selling liquor under similar circumstances were not guilty of violating local option laws. Robert Collier, a resident of Carter county, sent a mail order to Rist, a liquor dealer in Catlettsburg, for whiskey, which was delivered to a carrier in Catlettsburg and shipped to Collier.

The court says: "The court of appeals is the court of last resort in this state. Its decisions in any case is the law not only of that case, but of all like other cases subsequently arising in the inferior courts of the state. Where the law has been repeatedly and finally settled it is but a waste of time and an obstruction to the rights of other litigants to compel it to entertain further appeals involving the same question."

### Grand Lodge Meeting.

Three hundred representatives and probably half as many visitors will attend the Kentucky grand lodge meeting of the Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisters here Tuesday and Wednesday, October 6 and 7. The sessions will be held in the Capital theater, with an open meeting commencing at 11 o'clock the first morning. A feature of this occasion will be the appearance on the stage of 90 children from the Pythian home at Lexington, who will sing. Assistant Atty. Gen. Logan will welcome the representatives in behalf of the local fraternal organization; Mayor Rupert will welcome them to Frankfort, and Col. Noel Gaines will deliver the address in behalf of Dexter Lodge No. 54.

### Reserve 700 Miles in Length.

A forest reserve seven hundred miles in extent, including all of Pine Mountain and the Pine Mountain "fault," a section of Harlan county north of the mountain and portions of Leslie, Letcher and Clay, has been recommended to the Government Forest Service by the reconnaissance crew which has been engaged in Eastern Kentucky all summer, according to a letter received by State Forester J. E. Barton.

The crew also will recommend a federal forest reserve of about 50,000 acres just west of the coal measures on the border of the Blue Grass. The areas will comprise about 450,000 acres.

### Personal Injury Award.

A verdict of \$1,500 damages for personal injuries returned in the Estill Circuit Court in favor of W. H. Cox against John B. Carter & Co., was affirmed by the Court of Appeals in an opinion written by Judge Miller. Cox was injured while working with a well drill. A verdict directed by the Lewis Circuit Court in favor of the Chesapeake & Ohio in the suit of J. L. Truesdell was affirmed in an opinion by Commissioner William Rogers Clay. Truesdell was section hand and was injured by the rebound of a rail.

### Puzzled by "Bug" Visitors.

Millions of yellow moths, not yet named by Frankfort entomologists, infested every portion of Frankfort. Whence they came and where they were going no one seems to know. Houses and fronts of stores along Broadway, where bright lights are burned, were literally covered with the insects. Buildings in the vicinity of Broadway and Ann streets were coated with a writhing mass of bugs three inches in thickness.

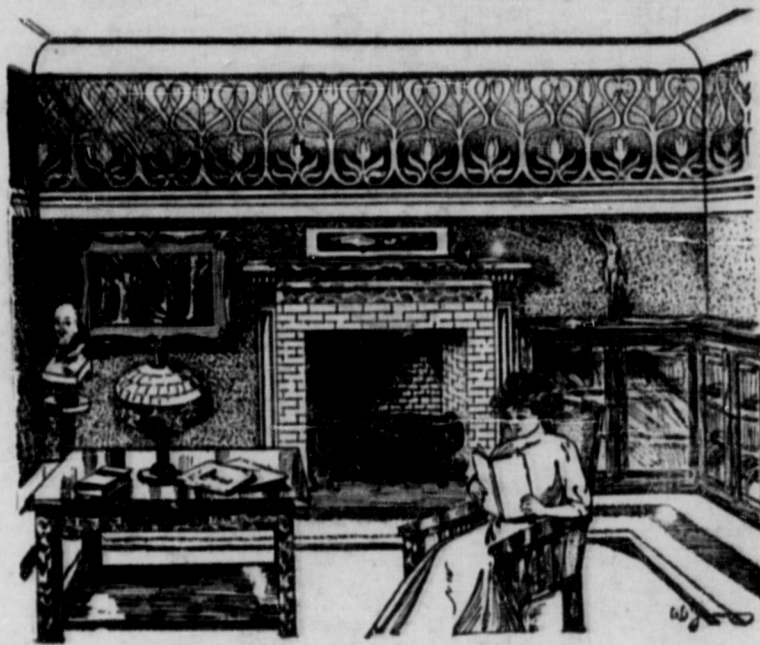
### Select Depository.

Judgment of the Kenton Circuit Court refusing an injunction to James A. Stephens, treasurer of Ludlow, a fourth-class city, to restrain the city council from enforcing an ordinance inviting bids from depository of city funds was affirmed by the Court of Appeals, which said the council has authority to select the depository.

### Program Completed.

Arrangements for the entertainment of the United Daughters of the Confederacy of Kentucky here October 14 and 15 contemplate among other things a public reception to be given in their honor by the governor at the mansion the night of October 14, marking the opening of the Capital social season; a large party to be given on the Kentucky river the afternoon of October 15 by the Sons of the Confederacy, and a historical night to close the session in the rooms of the State Historical Society.

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### FRANK DIETZEL GUILTY. SENTENCED TO DIE NOV. 20.

After having the case all night, the jury Saturday morning in the case of the state vs. Frank Dietzel, on trial at Union City, charged with murdering "Choppy" Wehman on July 11, last, came into court and returned a verdict of murder in the first degree with mitigating circumstances.

Judge Joseph E. Jones Tuesday morning passed sentence of death upon Dietzel. November 20 was fixed as the date of execution. The case will be appealed to the supreme court.

Attorney General Caldwell covered himself with honor and then collapsed from heart trouble at the courthouse, when by his argument before the jury brought to the surface the weak points of the defense and scattered them with jeers and taunts before him. The substance of this argument was that though the family of Frank Dietzel had come to his aid with loving fortitude to testify an alibi for him on the night he is alleged to have killed "Choppy" Wehman, no attempt was taken to explain the most incriminating evidence against him—the hiring of the death buggy, the money suddenly acquired by him following the murder, the bloody lap robe in the buggy and his secret companionship with the poor painter, whose body was found in an old, abandoned well two miles west of Union City.

The attorney general's argument was so forceful as to be almost brutal. He did not attempt to draw on the sympathy of his great audience, who applauded him much before the court could stop it, or on the jury. His only reference to the daughter of the murdered man, who sat mute and pale, watching patiently, was to point her out to the jury with a few pitying words.

Mr. Pierce, for the defense, on the other hand, drew largely on the sympathy of his audience in referring to the family of the defendant. Many wept. His speech consumed the greater part of the afternoon and struck a most tragical note.

The family of the defendant, on whom the long strain of the trial showed, sat with him, howled with grief. Miss Wehman,



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who sat on the opposite side of the courtroom, broke down only once, when Mr. Caldwell pointed to her during his argument as the only one on earth who loved the poor painter, her father.

Dietzel was not called to the stand for reasons best known to his counsel.

Mr. Wehman, the murdered man, was an uncle of John Pyle, asst. cashier of the Hickman Bank & Trust Co., of this city. Many years ago Wehman was a resident of Hickman.

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Dr. J. M. Hubbard has a new 1915 model Hupmobile touring car.

Go to the Crystal tonight.

### ROUTE FIVE NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Frazier and Miss Dotson spent Sunday with the former's parents at Polk Station. —Miss Tweed Barnes is on the sick list.—Gus Elgin is spending a few days in Fulton.—Mr. Jones, of Hornbeak, was the guest of Prate Jones and family Sunday.—Menry Howard Jr. and sister, Lela, motored to Obion Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Mabel Nichols and family.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cooper moved to their new home on the Park's farm Monday.—Woodford Irvine, of Hickman, was the guest of Robert Irvine and family Saturday night.—Several from here attended the box supper at Clayton Saturday night.—Rev. Lambkin, of Crystal, filled his regular appointment at Mt. Manuel Sunday. A very large crowd attended.—Master Murry Osborn, of Sanders Chapel, spent Sunday with Milton Osborn.—Fred Barnes and family were the week-end guests of Mr. Easterwood and family, of McAnna.—Mrs. Ada Dunn, of Union City, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Zack Wilson, for a few days.—Mrs. Sarah McConnell and mother and Buster Hawkins and wife, of Fremont, were the guests of Bob McCain and family Sunday.—J. A. Esene and family motored to Fulton Sunday and spent the day.—Z. D. Wilson and son spent Sunday in Union City.—J. R. McCain and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Nick Morris Tuesday at Old Fremont cemetery.—Mrs. Dixie Powell has returned to her home in Union City after spending a few days with Mrs. Agnes Wilson.—Mrs. Lucy Howard spent a few days with her son, Herman, of Crystal, who has been very sick.—Miss Nola Johnson, of Rogers, spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Florence McCain.—Mrs. Bud Hayes is very sick with dropsy.—Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Vaught spent Thursday night with the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vaught, of near Beech Grove.—Mrs. Todd was a visitor of James Morris and family, of near Hickman, a few days last week.

For the first time in many moons, two store rooms on Clinton street have remained vacant for several weeks.



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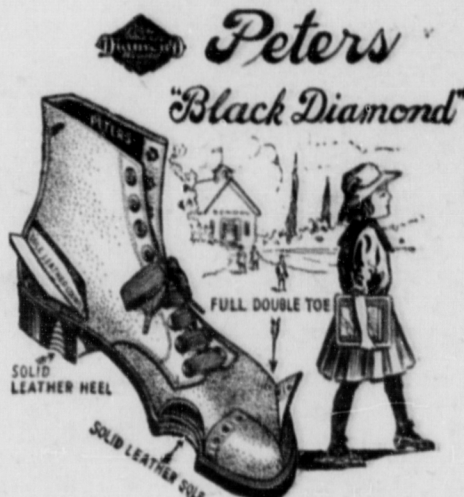
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## CAYCE NEWS.

Chas. Bondurant and Tom Atteberry attended the Dietzel trial at Union City Friday.—Mrs. C. A. Wright and Mrs. Bob Alexander were in Union City Friday.—Mrs. E. J. Wall was in Moscow Thursday.—Mrs. G. B. White and Jim McGehee visited relatives near Fulton Thursday.—Dr. C. A. Wright and son, Hendon, and Frances Alexander were in Moscow Thursday.—Alney Johnson was in Union City Friday.—E. A. Mayfield was in Hickman Friday.—Richard Reeves was in Martin Sunday.—Mrs. Chas. Bondurant and Mrs. Jim Jones attended services at Liberty Friday.—Misses Mary Spears, Jessie Wall and Frank Wall attended services at Liberty Friday night.—Ben Johnson and Jim McGehee were in Hickman Saturday.—Those who attended quarterly meeting at Rush Creek Saturday from here were: Mrs. Mai Treas, Mrs. Sue McCellian, Mrs. A. W. Fowler, Misses Annie and Allie Thomas, Jessie Wall, Richard Reeves, Earl Johnson, F. J. McCellian, S. A. Johnson, Dr. C. A. Wright, Alney Johnson, Bob Roper and Willie Treas.—Tom Atteberry was in Union City Friday.—Pearle Johnson was the guest of Eula Lee and Ethleen Oliver Saturday night.—Bob Johnson was in Hickman Thursday.—Mr. and Mrs. Bob McConnell, of Union City, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Johnson Sunday.—The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Lusk was buried at the Cayce cemetery on Thursday of last week.—Bill Cloys and Tom Atteberry were in Berkeley Sunday.—Mrs. Fanny Murehison has been visiting in Fulton the last week.—Mrs. Chas. Murehison, of Fulton, visited Mrs. Bob Alexander Saturday.—Jessie Wall and Tom Atteberry visited Mrs. Lon Jones, of Fulton, Monday.—Mrs. Hugh Cruce and Mrs. C. A. Mayfield visited Mrs. E. Pearigen, at Oakton, Monday.—Mrs. H. Burns visited in Oakton Monday and

Tuesday.—Mrs. Ruth Cloys returned home Tuesday after several weeks visit with relatives at St. Francis, Ark.—Mrs. Sue Burnett and daughters, Myrtle and Corine and Mrs. Jim Boone Inman were guests of Chas. Bondurant Tuesday.—Miss Kate Brown, of Liberty, was the guest of Eula Roper Monday night.—Mrs. C. A. Wright and Mary Spears were in Moscow Monday.—Mr. Rainey was in Clinton Tuesday.

## M. E. CHURCH NOTICE.

9:45 a. m., Sunday School.  
11 a. m., preaching.  
7 p. m., Epworth League.  
7:30 p. m., preaching.

## SYCAMORE ITEMS.

Harry Poyner and wife visited relatives near Brownsville Sunday.—W. O. Craddock, of Brownsville, was the guest of his uncle, R. A. Craddock, Sunday and attended services at the Ridge.—Miss Annie Readnour spent Saturday and Sunday with Misses Don and Vera Jamison.—Little Misses Arnett and Opal Readnour and Mary Owens and Mary Nipp were the guests of Georgia and Lillie Morrow Monday night.—Bro. Yates will preach next Sunday at the Ridge.—Mrs. Mary Harding is spending the week with her parents.—Little Victor Henderson is improving.—Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cooper's baby is dangerous ill.

Mrs. Eunice Wilson, a well known Christian Science practitioner at Union City, died suddenly Saturday night from heart trouble. Mrs. Wilson's little adopted son, who slept with her awoke in the night to ask her for a drink of water, and not being able to arouse her, called for help. Neighbors found that her life had quietly passed out while she was sleeping.

Coal buckets, shovels, etc.—Ellison Bargain Store.

## SON NEELEY SENT UP FOR SEVEN YEARS.

Sam (Son) Neeley, the negro who assaulted Mrs. Noah Mansfield, a white lady, about the middle of July, was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary by Judge R. B. Platt in circuit court at Fulton Tuesday.

The negro submitted his case on the charge of detaining a woman, plead guilty and was given the above punishment. He has been in jail at Mayfield, the officers spiriting him away from Fulton one Sunday night when informed there was danger of a mob coming from Hickman. The crime occurred one Saturday night a few miles below Hickman, when no one was at home except Mrs. Mansfield and her baby. By desperate effort she thwarted the negro in his purpose.

Because it might seem like he was taking advantage of the present extraordinary situation to gain some personal advantage, President Wilson sent a letter to the New Jersey Democrats declining a second term indorsement. Friends say that does not mean that he has decided not to accept the nomination, but that future events will determine his stand.

Capt. T. B. Barton, of Palmetto, Fla., arrived here yesterday to visit his brother, W. T. Barton and Hickman friends. Mr. Barton is very enthusiastic about his new home—especially the climate. He says the summer was delightful and never over 92.

A box supper will be given Saturday night, Oct. 3d, at Jordan school house by the pupils and patrons of the school.

Mrs. Thomas Grissom and children spent Sunday and Monday with her father, Lowe Baker, at Clinton.

Miss Ruby Fleming spent Saturday in Jackson, Tenn.

COTTON BACK TO 8c.  
SEED COTTON \$2.25 to \$2.40.

The cotton market is again down to the low-water mark and the outlook is anything but propitious. At Memphis there was a decline of one-eighth of a cent yesterday, bringing the price on middling to an even eight cents. Savannah quotes 7½c; Galveston 8c; Houston 7¾c.

Local gins, we understand, are offering from \$2.25 to \$2.40 for seed cotton—the lowest figure offered this season. Even at this price some of the cotton men say they are not anxious to buy. Those buying on account are paying around 10c for lint cotton of the best grade, which is a little in excess of the cash offering.

During the fair, open weather the past few days, an immense amount has been picked, and some of the local gins are running night and day. One of these has reduced the price of custom ginning to 50c.

Whether prices rally in the near future remains to be seen. Much, of course, depends upon developments in the European war. For ten days the warring nations have been in line, seemingly for a decisive engagement, but as a whole, it might thus far be termed a draw, neither side gaining any decided advantage.

CAR TURNS TURTLE.  
LINDSAY JACKSON HURT.

L. F. Jackson, of Clinton, was seriously injured Tuesday afternoon on the race track at the fair grounds when his Ford machine turned a complete somersault, while speeding around the course. The machine after sliding and slipping turned turtle and went against a fence, badly wrecking the machine and bruising up the driver, Mr. Jackson. His collar bone was fractured, a gash cut in his head, knee injured and many other bruises inflicted. He was taken to the office of Dr. John Dismukes where the injuries were dressed. In the machine when the accident occurred were Mr. Jackson's small child and a colored nurse. Mrs. Jackson and the smaller child remained out of the machine, saying that they did not care to make the ride. It is miraculous that no one of the occupants of the machine were injured except Mr. Jackson. Two quarts of whiskey and two quarts of gin, said to have been in the auto, were not broken in the smashup. Mr. Jackson is said to conduct a barber shop in Clinton.—Mayfield Messenger.

Mr. Jackson is well known in this city, having established the O. K. barbershop and worked in it up to last year.

Miss Lenore Brasfield, of Gleason, is the guest of Miss George Burrus, arriving Wednesday.

W. P. Vance, of Union City, spent Sunday here with his son, W. C. Vance, and family.

Mrs. Edgar Naylor leaves Saturday for Ripley, after a visit with Mrs. J. B. Graham.

Phone us your grocery orders—Bettsworth & Ezell. Both phones; prompt delivery.

Mrs. I. D. Price left Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Cloys, in Memphis.

G. N. Helm is making extensive improvements on his residence property.

E. C. Rice, Chas. Rice and Bret Prather left Tuesday night for St. Louis.

C. T. Bondurant, wife and son went to St. Louis Tuesday night.

Clifford Jones, of Union City, was here Monday on business.

Circuit court will convene again in Hickman next week.

Jno. Bransford, of Union City, was here Monday.

WEATHER: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday.

Percy Jones spent Wednesday in Tiptonville.

Chas. Noonon was here Monday from Fulton.

Mrs. Nannie Kingman is on the sick list.

Engraved cards.—Courier office.

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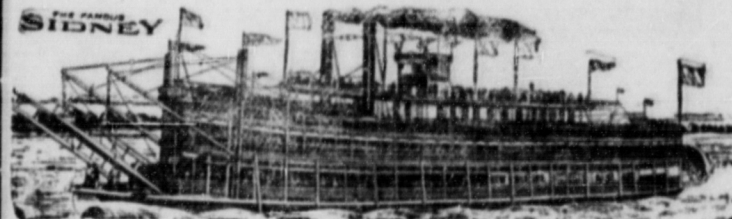
## EDMISTON NEWS.

Miss Ethel Tucker spent last week with her uncle, Rawson Tucker, of near Jordan.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilkins were in Fulton Friday.—Misses Bessie Hill and Dollie Mae Campbell, of near Fulton, visited Misses Eula Lee and Ethleen Oliver last week.—Mrs. Geo. Polsgrove spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Jno. Lusk, of Cayce.—Roy Wade was in Clinton Saturday.—Miss Jessie Wall spent Monday in Fulton.—Miss Pearl Johnson, of Cayce, spent the week-end with Misses Eula Lee and Ethleen Oliver.—Among those who attended quarterly meeting at Rush Creek Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Campbell, Messrs. Walter and Glen Oliver, Jack Oliver, Goldie Wall and Miss Jessie Wall.—A singing school began at Ebenezer Monday night with Mr. Barton as director.—Miss Allie Thomas spent Sunday with Mrs. Eliza Wall.—Miss Eliza Bynum returned to her home near Clinton Saturday after several weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wade and family.—Mr. and Mrs. Judd Champion and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wade, of near Moscow, Saturday.—Mrs. Annie Dacus, of Water Valley, is visiting Mrs. Eliza Wall.—Mrs. Cornie Goodwin is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Cruce, of Rives, for a few days.—Irby Hammons, of Rives, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Levi Campbell and family.—Mr. and Mrs. Alner Campbell were in Fulton Monday.—Mrs. Eliza Wall was in Moscow Thursday.—The protracted meeting at Liberty closed Sunday night with quite a number of additions to the church and a baptizing at Mrs. Edd Green's Pond Monday. Ora Lee Wade left Tuesday for Jackson where she will enter school at M. C. F. I.

Capt. Henry Tyler and a number of young folks from Hickman motored over to Clinton Sunday and spent several hours in the city.—Clinton Gazette.

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